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pronounced the finding of oil pro-
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preparing abstracts. A well has
spudded in on the Haass farm,
four miles south of Dunlay, by
experienced oil man of San Antonio
has successfully operated in both
Arkburnett and Oklahoma fields,
who has now transferred his ac-
to this section. It is currently
and that a well will be spudded in
six or eight miles south of Hondo
the next thirty days by an ex-
oil man who regards his chances
ing oil in paying quantities as
certain. The operations of
practical oil men will be watched
interest, and of course all our
hope their efforts will be crown-
success. Meanwhile anyone con-
taining taking stock with the home
may would do well to get busy as it
probable the stock will be taken
market at an early day. If
just are willing to back their
purchasers of stock should at
regard the chances as a fifty-
proposition. Now while we have
opportunity let everyone do their
in order that a thorough search
oil pool we all believe underlies
sections. The enormous profits
from an oil strike is ample
ation for any investment one
position to make.

The Anvil Herald is in receipt of the
announcement of the marriage of Mr.
Henry O. Brucks and Miss Martha
Schlather, which occurred at the home
of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
George Schlather, at Cibola, Texas,
September 3, 1919. The happy young
couple will be "at home" in San An-
tonio, Texas, after September 9th.
We extend congratulations.

This office is in receipt of a card is-
sued by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bendele,
announcing the approaching marriage
of their daughter, Sybilla Anita, to Mr.
William D. Schott, which happy event
will occur at St. Louis Catholic Church,
Castroville, Texas, September 9th,
1919, at nine o'clock. A dance will
be enjoyed at Black Creek Hall in the
evening. Many thanks for the kind
remembrance.

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September 15

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Featuring
Louis Bennerson

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"The Brand"

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Tacky Party.

On the evening of Sept. 2nd, the
lawn of Mrs. E. P. Woolfs was the
scene of much merriment when the
Epworth League and its many invited
guests participated in the most pre-
posterous of all tacky parties.

Snap was indulged in immediately
following the arrival of the guests and
no one did worse than lose a shoe—
three sizes too large, a turkey wing
fan, or a window curtain sash.

Chewing gum and peppermint stick
candy were very much in evidence.

Has anyone ever heard of such a
unique performance as a track meet at
night? Well, we had one. The mas-
ter of ceremonies announced that Buz-
zards Roost, Pumpkinville, and Pos-
sum Trot would compete for honors
with Sterling Fly, Louis Carter and
Sid Carter respectively as captains.
First on the program was the 200 yd.
dash—can you imagine how such could
be conducted without a foot race.
Just ask Gladys Woolfs, Sidney Fly
and Mervin Peters how long it takes
them to cut down the center of 2 yds.
of paper with a pair of scissors.
Manager L. Carter was wise in choos-
ing Gladys for she scored 10 points for
Pumpkinville. If the natives of Hon-
do were aroused from the soft sway-
ing arms of Morpheus can they blame
us for "rooting" for our sides? Other
events were the 440 yd. relay—a race
to eat crackers in relays with a final
whistle, and tug-of-war for candy.
Buzzard Roost scored highest with 45
points, Pumpkinville second, and Pos-
sum Trot, third.

Wild excitement reigned throughout
the entire evening mingled with side-
spitting laughter at the ridiculous
figures and their antics in the hoops
and basques of Civil war times and the
wedding gowns of a quarter of a cen-
tury ago. "Limbo Tige" and Mr.
Frog were there and trampish-looking
gentlemen in the frock-tail coats of
ecclesiastics.

As the evening drew to a close—as
the most joyous of evenings must—
red lemonade was drawn from a well
worthy to be placed in an Imp picture.
Tea cake men and animals, together
with a bucket of popcorn, gave the
finishing touches to a real "tacky"
party.

Prizes of checker box, pop corn and
stick candy were awarded to Sid Car-
ter, Selby Woolfs, Earl Lacy, George
Windrow, Florence Lacy, Kate Hen-
derson, and Evelyn Wilson. 'Twas
almost beyond the power of the judges
to decide those most appropriately
dressed for the occasion.

To the music of Lucile Newton's
ukulele and numerous sonorous nasal
voices the crowd departed from the
tackiest of all tacky parties.

CONTRIBUTED.

NOTICE.

For information regarding
leasing your land for oil call
at office of Medina Oil & De-
velopment Co. before leasing.

Bury-Langfeld.

Mr. Henry Bury and Miss Hulda
Langfeld were quietly married at Holy
Cross Church on Wednesday morning,
Sept. 3, at 7 o'clock. Rev. Dean F.
Maass performed the ceremony and
also read the nuptial Mass. The
attendants were Mr. Louis Bury,
brother of the groom, and Miss Carrie
Langfeld, sister of the bride. Miss
Joanna Finger played the wedding
march.

After mass the bridal party proceed-
ed to the home of the bride's grand-
mother, Mrs. Geo. Langfeld, where a
wedding breakfast was served. The
happy young couple caught the Limit-
ed at Hondo for a honeymoon trip to
Galveston. After Sept. 10th. they
will be at home on the ranch of the
bride's mother near D'Hanis.

Numerous relatives and friends join
in wishing the young couple a long
and happy married life.

Meeting in the Lutheran Church
Sunday, Sept. 14, 1919.

Following the regular service a meet-
ing of the members will take place,
to discuss important changes in the
management of the church affairs.
It is therefore necessary that every
member of the congregation be pres-
ent and they all are cordially invited
to attend this meeting.

THE PASTOR.

Recruiting Officer Here.

Lieutenant C. E. Cody and Sgt. W.
D. Smonton U. S. Army, are here
from Camp Travis on recruiting ser-
vice and have pitched their tents in
the court house yard. Young men are
wanted for all branches of the service.
The United States army has become a
great industrial establishment, and
anyone desirous of mastering a trade
and receiving good pay while learning
should interview Lieut. Cody. The
pay runs from \$35 to \$51 per month.
If one wishes to enter the army strict-
ly as a soldier the opportunity for ad-
vancement to at least non-commission-
ed officer is excellent, while those
showing aptitude stand a good chance
of winning a commission as the army
will never again be the insignificant
affair it was before the late war, and
there is going to be a great demand
for officers. Anyone desiring to adopt
a military career should call on Lieut.
Cody, in the court yard, where he will
be stationed for the next two weeks.

School Opens September 15.

The trustees of the Hondo Public
Schools have ordered the fall term of
the school to open Monday, September
15th. The following faculty will have
charge of the school for the ensuing
scholastic year: Prof. J. D. Howell,
superintendent; Prof. Guy T. Newton,
principal; Miss Ula Jackson, Mrs. Ed.
Cameron, Miss Amanda Smith, Mrs. H.
G. Henderson, Miss Lena Stone, Miss
Carrie Stanley, Miss Lucile Johnston,
Miss Hilda Muennink and Miss Willie
Fly.

Miss Nell Wilson will have charge of
the music class.

Miss Annie Callahan will again have
charge of the Mexican school.

Whatever does well in Medina coun-
ty it does better than any where else.
We have the prettiest women and
homeliest men to be found in the state;
we have the greatest droughts and the
hardest rains of any other section; we
have the biggest cottonstalks and fat-
test boll weevils to be found anywhere.
In fact, one can go all down the line
and examine things in both the animal
and vegetable kingdoms, and anything
that will grow here at all not only
takes the cake but annexes the entire
bakery over any other section. This
applies not only to things on top of
the earth but to things in the earth as
well. A few days ago J. W. Griffin
was exhibiting a family of grubworms
he found down at his place. There
were three in the family and noble
specimens of their species—regular
Goliaths. They looked capable of eat-
ing up a garden or destroying a fruit
tree merely as a tonic to whet their
appetites. They were the finest speci-
mens that ever came under our obser-
vations and our bosom swelled with
pride as we looked upon them and re-
alized that here was another line, or
rather family of grubworms that we
challenge any county in the state to
beat.

Attention, Master Masons.

W. O. Vincent, D. D. G. M. 53rd
District, will visit Hondo City Lodge
No. 756, A. F. & A. M., officially on
Sept. 6, 1919. All brethren are re-
quested to be present. Meeting opens
at 8:30 sharp; refreshments at close of
meeting.

CHAS. MONKHOUSE, W. M.

Notice.

The Hondo Parent-Teachers' Asso-
ciation will not meet on Sept. 8th on
account of the Teachers Institute, but
will meet at the school building, Mon-
day, Sept. 15th, at 4 o'clock, at which
time they will entertain the teachers.

PRESS REPORTER.

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Philathea Class Meeting.

The Philathea Class will meet Tues-
day afternoon, Sept. 9th, at the home
of Mrs. T. H. Flint.

All members are urged to be present
and meet the new staff of officers for
the ensuing year.

PRESS REPORTER.

THE

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HONDO, TEXAS

Capital \$50,000.00

Surplus \$22,000.00

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JOE FOHN	Vice-President
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New York World, Strong Wilson Supporter, Denounces "Revolution by Ultimatum."

PARALLEL TO RUSSIAN IDEA.

Calls Railroad Brotherhoods' Plan for Government Ownership "Soviet Economics Venture."

New York.—The New York World, in a leading editorial, characterizes the railroad labor plan for Government ownership of railroads as "a straight-out adventure into Soviet economics."

The editorial page of the World has long had a national reputation for unflinching support of Democratic principles, hostility to Wall street, and the most loyal and vigorous assistance to President Wilson. The World says:

"Revolution by Ultimatum."

The plan of the railroad brotherhoods for taking over the railroad properties of the country is a straight-out adventure into Soviet economics. It contemplates collective ownership, but class operation and control, which is at the foundation of the Soviet system.

The American people, through their Government, are to buy the railroads from the private owners and turn these properties over to the railroad employees to manage and operate. In consideration of an investment of approximately \$20,000,000,000 the Government is to appoint one-third of the directors, and the public is to share in such savings in the cost of operation as may remain after the employees have paid themselves what they think their services ought to be worth.

The spirit in which the program is put forth may be inferred from a statement made by B. M. Jewell, acting president of the railroad employees' department of the American Federation of Labor, in which he said that if President Wilson's suggestion to Congress was carried out "we will tie up the railroads so tight that they will never run again if that legislation is passed." It might have been Trotsky himself speaking to a bourgeoisie that had offered mild and academic objections to being despoiled.

Who is the Government?

Before any railroad plan can be worked out one highly essential fact must be established—namely, whether the sovereign power of the United States is vested in Government and in the American people or whether it is vested in the railroad brotherhoods.

For three years now the brotherhoods have assumed that the sovereign power was vested in them, and Congress has provided them with excellent reasons for that assumption. When the railroad employees in the critical period of the summer of 1916 demanded an eight-hour day and threatened a general strike, President Wilson sent a message to Congress in which he urged that the eight-hour day be made the basis of work and wages, but he made four other proposals, one of which called for—

"An amendment to the existing Federal statute which provides for the mediation, conciliation and arbitration of such controversies as the present by adding to it a provision that in case the methods of accommodation now provided for should fail, a full public investigation of the merits of every such dispute should be instituted and completed before a strike or lockout may be lawfully attempted."

Try to Intimidate Congress.

Congress refused to enact this legislation because the labor leaders objected to it, and now we have a situation in which a labor leader can threaten to "tie up the railroads so tight that they will never run again" if Congress presumes to pass an act to which the brotherhood autocracy objects as unequal to its imperative demands.

The railroad brotherhoods have embarked upon a policy that even the most conservative of them must admit is economically revolutionary. If their scheme of nationalization under class control is to be carried out in respect to railroads, nobody can draw the line where it shall stop until all industry is under Soviet direction. Yet they are not putting their program out as a matter to be discussed and deliberately considered by the American people. They are trying to force the issue and bring about a revolution by ultimatum.

The Public Pays.

In the last three years the railroad employees have received hundreds of millions of dollars in wage increases for which the general public is paying. As a reward for its generosity the country is to be taken by the throat and choked into submission if the most complicated economic issues that have ever confronted it are not settled forthwith. If there is any difference between that kind of arrogance and the arrogance of the German general staff in July, 1914, we should like to know what it is.

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This check for \$33,520 bought forty \$1,000 Registered Treasury Savings Certificates, or in other words \$40,000 worth. The purchasers made \$6,480 by investing in August when the cost of each \$1,000 Certificate was \$838. They showed good business foresight. The price is only \$840 for September.

You can buy the new \$1,000 Registered Treasury Savings Certificates from banks and trust companies. The \$100 Certificate is blue in color, the \$1,000 Certificate being maroon, and both are somewhat similar in appearance to the Liberty Bonds, although considerably more attractive. They are convenient to handle, may be cashed on days' notice if desired, in which event the interest to the date of cashing is paid in addition to the principal.

Buy your Registered Treasury Savings Certificates today. Have the satisfaction of owning one of the unexcelled securities. No one person can hold more than one \$1,000 Registered Treasury Savings Certificate more than ten of the \$100 Registered Treasury Savings Certificates.

—W. S. S.—

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H. E. Haas,

at Court House, Hondo, Texas.

Too Busy for Gratitude.

The quality for which we most frequently criticize the Japanese is one in which, with curious inconsistency, we particularly pride ourselves. That is their determination to be independent. If an American has something to teach a Japanese, the Japanese observes him very carefully while he performs the trick. Then, with a polite "Thank you. Goodbye," the Japanese leaves the American and thenceforth performs the trick for himself—with improvements. He is far too busy to sit at anybody's feet in gratitude.

Get All the Rest Possible.

Remember always to relax when no activity is required of you. When you sit down, rest all over—do not choose a rocker and waste your energy propelling it to an invisible destruction; nor tap your fingers on the chairarm, nor finger the buckle at your waist, or the chain about your throat; nor tie your feet up in bow-knots, when they should rest easily on the floor. If you think about it you will be amazed to find how much real rest time you have always wasted.

Pulque Trains in Mexico.

Pulque, the national drink of Mexico, is made from the juice of the maguey plant, large tracts of which are cultivated outside the City of Mexico. As a rule there are about eight hundred plants to the acre. The juice is extracted by the peons. It is shipped to town in long trains much like our milk trains here. The white liquid tastes like yeast and the consumption is so great that it is equivalent to two quarts a day for each person.

LEMONS WHITEN AND BEAUTIFY THE SKIN

Make this beauty lotion cheaply your face, neck, arms and hands

At the cost of a small jar of cold cream one can prepare a full pint of the most wonderful skin softener and complexion beautifier by squeezing the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three of orchard white. Care should be taken to strain the juice through a fine so no lemon pulp gets in, then the woman will keep fresh for months. A woman knows that lemon juice is to bleach and remove such blemishes, freckles, sallowness and tan and the ideal skin softener, whitener, beautifier.

Just try it! Get three ounces orchard white at any drug store, two lemons from the grocer and mix a quarter pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily on the face, neck, arms and hands. marvelous to smoothen rough, red skin.

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COMMITTEE READY FOR CAMPAIGN TO RAISE S. A. FUND

Kirby Pleased With Organization for Pushing Drive Throughout State.

ELKS PROMISE HELP FOR STATE WORKERS

Soldiers Fall into Line When Asked to Head District and Local Units.

With the appointment of his executive committee complete John Kirby, state chairman for the \$600,000 service fund drive in Texas, September 29, outlined a vigorous policy to its members at Dallas Saturday.

"I am pleased with the success that has been met in perfecting a committee to get the money required for placing the Salvation Army on a firm basis in Texas for all time," Mr. Kirby told the committee. "In this work we have the cooperation of virtually every soldier who was 'over there.' We are getting the support of religious and fraternal organizations."

Elks Help in Drive

The order of Elks promised support of the campaign in the following telegram from Frank L. Rain, grand ruler of the organization:

"I earnestly co-operate with you and the good people of my native state. We are behind you in your service campaign."

Commander Evangeline Booth told in our recent convention at Atlantic City that if it had not been for the Elks the Salvation Army would have achieved the success that it did in the great war.

Great good is being done by the Salvation Army along a line that can be accomplished by any other organization. We as an order have aided the Salvation Army and Elks from coast to coast are assisting them in their present drives. We are hoping that you 'go over the top' in Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana."

Chairman Kirby is expected to appoint the full number of his executive committee this week, according to Col. George Wood, commander of the Southwestern District. Five members of the state committee have been appointed. The number probably will be brought to fifteen.

County Units Are Formed

County organizations are rapidly forming into line for the intensive work of that is planned to cover the campaign work. Field men of the Salvation Army corps report success in each county in which they are working.

By far the most gratifying feature of the campaign is the support that returned soldiers are giving the Salvation Army," Mr. Kirby told the executive committee at its last session, and that this sympathy for the Salvation Army is deep and sincere. Boys really want to help."

Richard Burges of El Paso who was one of the first Texas soldiers to go overseas, has been appointed to lead the campaign in the El Paso district. He returned to America with rank of colonel.

Soldier Ready to Help

"I am not too busy to show the Salvation Army the attention that is given by every returned soldier," Mr. Kirby said in accepting the position of chairman on the state committee.

Plans for the campaigns in each county are now in the hands of the state central executive committee. The state committee is the nucleus of an organization of workers extending down to the last publican and county chairman in the state.

There are to be no loafers on the committee," Mr. Kirby said in naming his appointees. "Each district will have a place who will have a definite work to do. Each district chairman will be responsible for the men in his district who are able to give substantial amounts of money. Each county chairman will be responsible for the men who are able to give freely in the community. By this plan it is hoped that the Salvation Army that may be brought to a speedy

Halls Built on Border

Construction work on two recreation halls for the Salvation Army at Helena and Lajitas in the Big Bend district will begin at once according to a letter received last night from Colonel G. T. Langhorne of the United States cavalry by Lieutenant George Wood, commander of the southwestern division of the Salvation Army.

Colonel Langhorne acknowledged receipt of a check from Lieutenant Wood for \$1,000. The money was the first of the week from the office of the Salvation Army.

This opportunity to thank Colonel Langhorne wrote, "and the gratitude and appreciation of the officers and soldiers for consideration of them."

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As an aid to robustness, thousands upon thousands use

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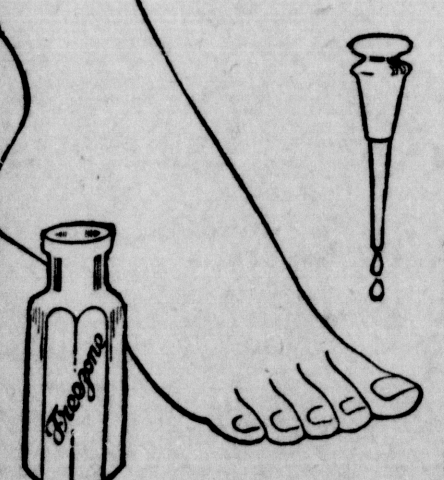
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Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



Doesn't hurt a bit! Drop a little Freezone on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right out. Yes, magic!

A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the calluses, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

Hay Wire. Holloway Bros. Columbia Dry Cells at C. R. Gaines.

JAVA "LAND OF VOLCANOES"

Country Has From Earliest Times Been Devastated by Turbulent Forces of Nature.

Java, with a territory about equal to New York state, has more volcanoes than any area of like size, and yet has more inhabitants than the states of New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Ohio and Texas combined. A bulletin of the National Geographic society finds that estimates of the active and extinct craters range from 100 to 150. "Everywhere in Java, in the huge crater lakes, in fissures that now are river beds, even in ancient temples, half-finished when interrupted by some fiery convulsion, are evidences of cataclysmic forces—such turbulent forces as now are in continuous hysteria in the valley of the Ten Thousand Smokes in Alaska and break their crusted surface cage intermittently in Java." The late eruption of the Klot (or Kalut) volcano cost the lives of 40,000 natives, destroyed 20,000 acres of crops by the flow of hot mud, and did millions of dollars' damage outside by the falling ashes. This devastation, however, was mild compared with the violent upheaval of 1883, when Mother Nature planted a gargantuan infernal machine on the Java doorstep at Krakaoa. The terrific detonation was heard in Australia, as far away as El Paso is from New York, much of the island was blown into the air four times as high as the highest mountain, and the hole left under water where most of the island had been is so deep that a plumb line to touch bottom must be twice the length of the Washington monument. The isolation lessened the toll of lives, many of the 35,000 deaths having been due to the tidal waves that flooded distant shores.

FLAMINGO LONG A MYSTERY

To American Naturalist Belongs Honor of Learning Habits of Really Remarkable Bird.

Until comparatively few years ago the habits of the flamingo, without doubt the most remarkable of all living birds, were a tantalizing mystery to naturalists. In 1904 the first photographs of nesting flamingoes were secured by Dr. Frank M. Chapman of the scientific staff of the American museum. The group was constructed from photographs and notes made during his investigations, and from specimens secured by him. Flamingoes occur in the warmer parts of both hemispheres. The American flamingo—the most brightly colored of the genus—ranges from the Bahamas and southern Florida to Brazil and the Galapagos.

For nests flamingoes erect curious mounds of mud, from 8 to 13 inches high, and measuring about 22 inches in diameter at the base and 14 inches across the top. A depression, about one inch deep, in the top of the nest, holds the single egg, laid in May. Both male and female incubate. When the young are hatched they are covered with a down like that of young ducks. They develop their brilliant plumage in their second year. For their first three or four days they remain in the nest, and are fed by the parents on predigested food. At about three weeks of age they enter upon their adult diet of crustaceans.

What Became of Her?

Theodosia, the only daughter of Aaron Burr, was a woman of superior mental accomplishments and strong affections. In her eighteenth year she was married to Joseph Alston, afterward governor of South Carolina. She was a devoted and adored wife. The trial of her father for treason and his virtual banishment not only depressed her spirits but fearfully wrecked her already feeble constitution, yet his disgrace in no way lessened her affection. When he returned from Europe she resolved to visit him in New York. Embarking from South Carolina on the Patriot, on the thirteenth day of January, 1813, she was never heard of afterward. The schooner may have fallen into the hands of pirates; but as a heavy gale was experienced for several days soon after leaving Georgetown, the probability is that the craft sunk.

Peculiar Animals.

The rabbit, or hyrax, which is found in Africa and Syria, is an interesting and comparatively little-known animal. Although it has hoofs, the sole of each foot is cup-shaped, so that when it presses the edges of a hoof against a smooth surface it can form a vacuum under the hoof by raising the center. Thus, using its feet as suckers, it climbs trees with surprising facility. The large-eyed, lemur-like creature called tarsier, a native of the Malay Islands and of the Philippines, is equally interesting. Its toes end in suckers with which it can climb even the smooth stems of bamboo.—Youth's Companion.

Would Be Worth Hearing.

Few dog stories would be so well worth hearing, if the dog could tell it, as that of Shep, a collie that belonged, and that we hope still belongs, to a family that lives on the upper Scioto river, in Ohio. The family moved to the headwaters of Smoky Hill river, in Kansas. They went by train to Kansas City and the rest of the way by wagon. After a year they moved back again to their old home in Ohio, but left Shep with a neighbor in Kansas. Eight weeks later the dog, "as thin as a rail" and somewhat footsore, walked into the house on the Scioto. He had traveled 800 miles.—Youth's Companion.

EARTHS IN SOLAR SYSTEM

Thousands of Asteroids, Mostly Small, Known to Be Swinging Around the Sun.

Swinging around the sun between the planets Mars and Jupiter there are more than a thousand little earths, ranging in diameter from three to 485 miles. These are known as the asteroids, and although they pursue their individual ways in the solar system much like our own globe they are too small to support any sort of life, being unable to hold an atmosphere.

From time to time new asteroids are discovered, not by astronomers patiently peering at the heavens through a telescope, but by means of the photographic plate. A thousand have already been found, but it is likely that thousands of smaller asteroids remain to be discovered.

The four largest asteroids, Ceres, Pallas, Vesta and Juno, are respectively 485, 304, 243 and 113 miles in diameter. A few more asteroids may exceed 100 miles in diameter, but the great majority are simply huge rocks five miles or less in diameter. Unlike the major planets, the asteroids are not spheres, but simply jagged rocks, huge mountains hurtling through space, whirling round and round on their axis as they journey about the sun.

Possibly, as some have suggested, they may be the larger fragments of periodic comets of unusual size that have in the course of ages been shorn of their appendages.

LIKE GEM IN RARE SETTING

Lake Kliahne, Close to Arctic Circle, Is Beautiful Spot Seldom Visited by Man.

Lying amid the heights of encircling mountains as a mere dewdrop in a titanic crinkle of the continental surface, is the 50-mile length of Lake Kliahne, once reputed source of the Yukon, flowing from it 1,200 miles or more north, northwest and southwest to Bering sea. Barely 350 miles south of the arctic circle, southern boundary of perpetual snow and ice, it is compassed about with mountain ranges and peaks rising abruptly from its waters, says Christian Science Monitor.

The shores of the lake are bare of vegetation, save for the dwarf birch and the hardy northern willow, tundra grasses and lesser brush.

Lapped in the perpetual silence of the unpeopled North, sternly isolated, untouched by human presence, save for at long intervals a casual Indian or passing prospector, Lake Kliahne has in its very silence and sternness of aspect a beauty of that hardly expressed, indefinable, but none the less deeply felt nature which, conscious of it or not, is a main factor in holding the prospector or other man of the open places in his wandering ways, in the sand deserts of the South, or the mountain wilderness of the extreme Northwest alike.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

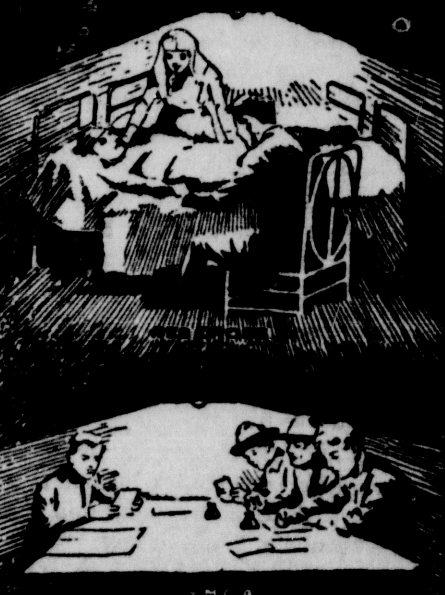
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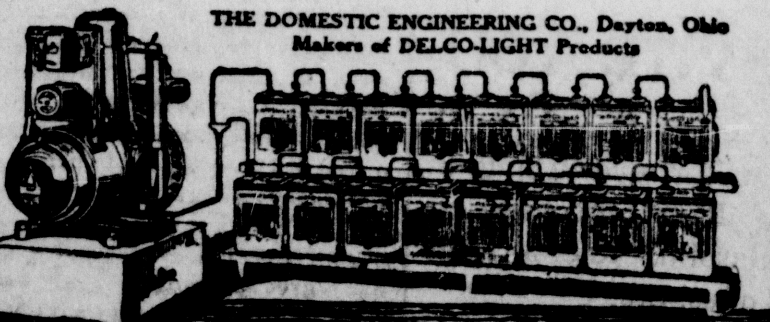
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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

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Refrigerators. Holloway Bros.
Miss Annie Haby has been the guest of Mrs. Rolf Frerichs during the week.
Miss Gladys Newton returned Sunday from a visit to relatives at Seguin.
Sandwich Shuck Corn Sheller see Eugen Huesser. 1-tf.

Mrs. T. McCall and granddaughter, Miss Nell Wilson, left Friday for Corpus Christi.

Miss Ethel Hutzler entertained her friends with a dance at her home last Friday night.

All kinds of Brushes—Scrub Brushes, Shoe Brushes, Hair and Clothes Brushes, at Heven's Variety Store. 5

Miss Emma Short entertained with a swimming party and moonlight picnic on the Hondo Saturday night.

Fletcher Davis came in from Austin Saturday evening to visit his family, returning to Austin Monday evening.

FOR RENT—The Hall cottage on Carle Avenue. Apply to Mrs. Fletcher Davis. 8-6-tf

Miss Charlotte Kieffer of San Antonio is the guest of Miss Mary Fohn at the John Fohn Ranch.

Prof. Howell arrived on Tuesday and is busy at the school house arranging for the opening of school.

TAKEN UP—One black barrow hog, white spots, swallow fork in each ear. Owner can recover same by paying costs. Henry Frerichs. 1-tf.

Miss Annie Miller came in Thursday evening from Big Wells where she had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Arnold Rothe.

Little Walter Meyer, who cut his foot several weeks ago, has been quite sick for the past week. At this time he is somewhat improved.

Miss Josephine Hutzler returned to San Antonio Tuesday after a several weeks visit to her mother, Mrs. Sadie Hutzler.

If it is anything in the School line, go to Fly & Mercer's for they have it and will give you needs their prompt attention. We appreciate your business from the pennies on up.

The law says book covers must be used. Get them at Windrow's Drug Store, where you will find the correct cover as well as all kinds of school supplies. 6-3t.

Mr. Joe Fohn and daughter, Miss Majorie, and son, Leonard, accompanied by Mr. Lonnie Mutersbaugh of Lake Charles and Miss Loraine Heath came out from San Antonio Tuesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. C. H. Sayers and daughter, Miss Irene, and niece, Miss Ethel Schweers, returned to their home at San Antonio Tuesday evening, after a pleasant visit with Mr. X. Wantz and family.

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Hay Wire. Holloway Bros.
Fishing tackle at C. R. Gaines.

If it's Insurance, Any and all kinds, See Miller. O. H. Miller. 47.

Market and Willow Clothes Baskets at Heven's Variety Store. 5

Miss Nell Wilson will start her music class Sept. 15th at the High School Building. 6-2t

Mrs. Engelman of Uvalde is here on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Will Ney.

FOR SALE—One Moon Hack, good as new. Apply at Farmers' Union Warehouse. P. R. Richter. 2t

Joe Rogers came in Thursday night on furlough and is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Jagge and little son, Clinton, are visiting relatives at Castroville and San Antonio this week.

To save money have a set of Double Seal Piston Rings put in your motor at Citizens Motor Car Co. 23

Mrs. Louis Scherrer, accompanied by Miss Mollie de Monteil, was here from Castroville Thursday.

F. Marion Davis went to Castroville Thursday where he will visit for a few days.

Miss Josephine Hutzler entertained a number of her friends with a delightful dance at her home on Monday night.

Yellowware Bowls and Jugs, also all kinds of Chinaware, at Heven's Variety Store. 5

Miss Lucille Kuntz of Lacoste was the guest of Miss Emma Short this week.

Mrs. Henry Merriman returned Thursday from a two weeks' visit to relatives in San Antonio.

Miss Melanie Huesser of Castroville was the guest of her brothers, Eugen and Joe Huesser, and their families Thursday.

Poultry Netting. Holloway Bros.

Mrs. Will Duing took her daughter, Miss Viola, to San Antonio Thursday where she will be a student in the Incarnate Ward Academy for the 1919-1920 term.

Miss Gladys Newton left yesterday for Dallas where she will visit until the opening of the Kidd-Key Conservatory where she will be a student for the 1919-1920 term.

Have you seen Fly & Mercer's pretty new display counter for School supplies? It is so convenient and all you have to do is to pick 'em out and they are ready to wrap them up and say "thank you."

Get it at Windrow's. As usual this will be Headquarters for School supplies. Everything in tablets, Inks, Pens, Pencils, Blackboard crayons, etc. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Druggist, Telephone No. 124. 6-3t.

Editor Getzenander of the Uvalde Leader-News was here Tuesday and paid this office a fraternal call. He reported conditions fairly good in his bailiwick, the farmers and stockmen, the only source of wealth thus far in West Texas, being prosperous.

Tom J. Neumann arrived here Thursday afternoon, coming home from the Rhine and France. He came to San Antonio last Sunday and received his discharge Wednesday. He was absent just one year, leaving Camp Travis for France September 4, 1918. He arrived at the front a few days before the armistice was signed, to refill with others a very much reduced company of the 3rd division. He then followed the enemy soldiers on their heels to the Rhine. Like nearly all of the returning boys, Tom is in splendid health and does not regret spending a year overseas. He also has been on guard duty at the great American Cemetery on the Argonne-Meuse battle field where about 40,000 warriors find their last resting place. Arriving in Texas he observed that we are much nearer to the sun than the people of Europe.

Joe Menkhause, looking hale and hearty, came home last week-end with his discharge from Uncle Sam's service in his pocket. Joe saw nearly 11 months overseas service, having landed in France September, 1918, but as Hindenburg was no hog and knew when he had enough, hostilities ceased before Joe was moved up to the front line. It was the regularity and speed with which Uncle Sam's boys were dropping into France, as much as the boys who had the enemy headed for the Rhine, that caused the plea for peace. The Germans realized that if there were not enough khaki-clad boys there to annihilate them there soon would be, hence their throwing up the sponge. All of our people rejoice when one of our boys return home.

Judge Lamm held an inquest over the body of Alfonso Aguarte, a 14-year-old Mexican boy, on the Adolph Haegelin farm, seven miles south of town, Monday, September 1st. Following some days of indisposition Alfonso developed convulsions, resulting in death. After hearing evidence and acting on the advice of a physician, Judge Lamm rendered a judgment that death was due to natural causes. Mr. Haegelin says Alfonso was a good boy and a splendid worker and he is grieved over his demise.

Albert and Oscar Karm came over from Castroville the first of the week, stopping at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Karm. From here they went to Uvalde where Albert Karm and Miss Fannie Lieber were married. The happy young couple left for a bridal trip to Austin and Houston, whereafter they will make their home at Uvalde. The Anvil Herald wishes the young couple a happy married life.

O-Cedar Mops and Polish. Holloway Bros.

Henry Herzog of Brackett, who had been wounded on the battle fields in France and still is confined to the base hospital at Fort Sam Houston, came out last week on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Karm. Here he also met Mr. Henry Zusmeister of Brackett, a nephew of Mr. Karm who has been visiting here for several weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. McCauley were over from Castroville last Saturday and were pleasant callers at this office. Dr. McCauley is a veterinary surgeon and has recently settled in Castroville for the practice of his profession, and will answer calls to any part of the county.

Mrs. S. W. Crabtree and son, Leonard, and daughter, Annie, and brother, Jerry Smith, went to San Antonio Saturday. Master Leonard was carried to a hospital Monday morning for an operation on his eye. They returned home Friday.

Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.

Misses Maggie Langfeld, Carrie Langfeld, Joanna Finger and Regina Ney, and Messrs. Henry Langfeld and Louis Biry accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Henry Biry to Hondo Wednesday morning where they took the train for a bridal trip to Galveston and other points east.

If it's Insurance, Any and all kinds, See Miller. O. H. Miller. 47.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

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Mrs. John Dodson and children, after a lengthy stay with Mrs. Dodson's father, J. C. Merriman, and family, have returned to their home at Alvin.

Federal Land Appraiser B. D. Lindsey from San Antonio appraised six farms for loans for the Hondo National Farm Loan Association this week.

Automobile Paint. Holloway Bros.

Miss Christine Pike, after a several days visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pike, returned to San Antonio the first of the week.

Mr. Marion Davis, an abstractor, is assisting the Medina County Abstract Company at the court house this week, getting out abstracts.

Mrs. Virgie Benson came in Saturday night from Sinton on a visit to her father, J. C. Merriman, and family. She returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mechler and children returned last Sunday afternoon from a several days visit to San Antonio and other points east.

Patt McCoy and Mrs. Nancy Bennet (colored), were married Tuesday, September 3rd, his honor, Judge A. M. Lamm, officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mechler have returned from a few days visit to relatives and friends at Lacoste.

Refrigerators. Holloway Bros.

Miss Isabel Henderson is in Marfa where she will engage in school work the ensuing scholastic year.

A marriage license was issued to Mr. Henry Wall Aitken and Miss Virginia Maude Fortson. September 2.

Get your covers for your school books at Windrow's. 6-2t.

Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.

Hay wire. Holloway Bros.

Misses Corine Ney and Lizzie Fox visited friends at D'Hanis Sunday.

Joe Haby was over from D'Hanis Tuesday.

Auto tops re-covered at Eugen Huesser's.

County Attorney G. C. Morris was over from Devine the first of the week.

For the best Auto Paint see C. R. Gaines.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxey Garrett were here from Houston one day this week.

Write your Insurance with O. H. Miller. Hondo, Texas. 47.

E. S. Adair was here from Beeville Monday.

WANTED—To buy, a good all round buggy horse; not too old. X. Wantz. 5

Jimmy Nixon was in town "on business" Wednesday.

For Automobile Supplies, Good Year Tires and Columbia Batteries, see, write or phone Citizens Motor Car Co.

FOR SALE—Registered Red Poll bull calf, 10 months old. Apply to B. L. Robinson.

Robert and Bennie Garwood are here from San Antonio, the guest of their aunt, Mrs. Tom McClaugherty.

Mrs. Sallie Carter and daughter, Miss Grace, are visiting relatives at Waco.

BOY'S SUITS—For school and dress, just received at E. R. Leinweber Co's. 5

Misses Mina and Louise Gibbons of Knippa are here, guests of their aunt, Mrs. Will Ney.

Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass and family spent last Sunday in San Antonio.

County Clerk Jungman issued a permit to wed to Mr. Henry Biry and Miss Hulda Langfeld, September 1st.

Geo. Greschel of San Antonio was a "business" visitor here the first of the week.

FOR SALE—My farm two miles north of D'Hanis; 340 acres. For particulars apply to Jacob Reily, D'Hanis, Texas. 5-4t

GET MORE EGGS by feeding Martin's Egg Producer. Your money back in eggs or your money back in cash. Ask W. H. Windrow. 43-3m

Stop your oil and Gas leaks by putting in a set of Double Seal Piston Rings. Get them at Citizens Motor Car Co. 23

Miss Bessie Rieber, after a two weeks visit to her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Schuehle, returned to her home at D'Hanis.

Mrs. J. E. Merriman went to San Antonio Wednesday to have her eyes treated. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Hy. Crow.

Mrs. C. B. Leinweber and daughter, Miss Della, and niece, Miss Lillian Kappner, moved to San Antonio Wednesday where they will reside in future.

Kyle Bradley, who has spent a thirty day furlough here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. R. Bradley, left this week to again take up his duties in the navy.

A young lady made her advent into the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Schlottmann Sunday, August 31. We are a little late in announcing the young ladies arrival, but flatter ourselves we have recorded this important event in her home before she has had time to cut her first teeth.

An Ice Cream Social was given by the young ladies of the Catholic Church on Thursday evening Sept. 4th, on the lawn of Mr. John Koch. The place was beautifully decorated with Japanese lanterns donated by a kind friend. The affair was well patronized and was a decided success in every way.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Frerichs, who were called to the bed side of their son, Rolf, in the hospital at Fort Bayard in New Mexico, report from there Tuesday that they found him in a very critical condition, but were assured by the attending physician that the young man's health would soon take a turn to improving.

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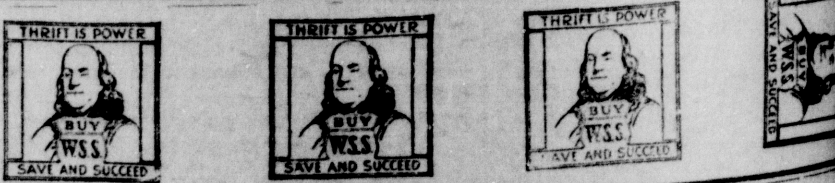
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Quihi Notes.

Boehle was a Hondo visitor.

Grell and family, Lina and Grell, paid a visit to Wm. Reitzer family Wednesday evening.

Miss Reitzer and little brother shopping here one day this week.

Mrs. Schorobry, Otto Schmitt, Hauser, Willie Reitzer and Jul. were in Lacoste Sunday, where attended the county meeting of the Clubs of Medina Co. The trip made in Mr. Grell's car.

Miss Della, Malinda, and Bertha of Sturm Hill stopped here Saturday evening from Hondo.

and Frank Boehle are busy with cotton this week.

Andrew Oefinger and sisters, Della and Malinda, Bertha Oefinger and Amanda Haby, attended the at Hondo Thursday night which given to soldier boys of Medina Co.

M. Saathoff and Rev. A. C. visited friends at Sturm Hill Sunday.

little baby boy gladdened the of H. J. Loessberg and wife one week.

Boehle, one of the boys, was here on a ten day furlough after staying in the at Fort Riley, Kansas, for a months. Mr. Boehle had the misfortune to have his leg broken while a broncho in France. Mr. Boehle is to be about but will go to the hospital at Fort Sam Houston for treatment.

Edwin Boehle, Anton Misses Ella Nietenhoefer, Thelma and Emma Neumann were at the Quihi Lutheran church Sunday.

Grell and Ernest Boehle were visitors Tuesday.

M. Saathoff was selling sweet peas in this neighborhood one day week.

Wiemers passed by here last visiting a friend "at some point and Mrs. S. P. Rohlf paid a visit Hondo Monday.

Katherine Loessberg who spent with relatives and friends here to her home in San Antonio Tuesday.

Julius and Ernest Grell, and J. Boehle from here attended soldiers' and sailors' supper at last Thursday night.

Schwens left Tuesday for San Antonio with a load of hides.

L. Brucks was down from the Wednesday on business.

Mrs. F. H. Bohlen and Miss Frieda, of Hondo, visited here Sunday evening.

Riff and son, Jose, passed by Thursday morning, enroute to ranch up in the hills.

Muennink threshing machine is threshing oats for F. L. Boehle week. Albert Heyen is running machine for Frank Muennink.

Boehle was down with the fever this week, but is getting all right at this writing.

dance at the Quihi Gun Club last Saturday night was well attended.

Louisa Meyer and Laura Boehle left last week for a pleasure to Pearsall. They returned home today and reported an enjoyable

Program Junior League.

Monday Sept. 7, 1919.

Reading Eph. 4, 20-25.

Leader—Leora Horger.

Call answered with Bible verse "truth."

He is my Friend.

Responsive reading 2 Kings 5, 20-27.

Story from the lesson by leader.

Questions.

Bring them in.

Prayer in concert.

Senior League Program.

September 7, 1919.

Leader—Miss Florence Lacy.

Object, "The Great Companion—To Live with Him."

Scripture lesson, Luke XXIV, 13-22.

Prayer.

Responsive reading, Psalm XVI.

Leader's remarks.

Prayer on the topic by Assistants.

Prayer.

Announcements.

Prayer.

A. O. T. Meeting.

A. O. T.'s had the last regular meeting at the home of Miss Nettie Grell.

After the usual musical and social hour a lively game of pool was enjoyed.

The hostess Glee Fusselman, Bess Roberts, Windrow, Irene Hudspeeth, Nellie, Lucile Wools, Eva Long, Chancy and Arline McFarland.

DOCTOR ADVISED HIM TO TAKE IT.

A. F. Roberts, Successful Cattle Dealer Gains 16 Pounds In 60 Days Taking Tanlac.

"One of the best doctors in Colorado advised me to take Tanlac, and it has not only overcome my troubles but I have gained sixteen pounds since I began taking it sixty days ago, said A. F. Roberts, who lives at Rocky Ford, Alberta, Canada, a few days ago.

Mr. Roberts is one of the largest cattle dealers in his section of the country, and before moving to Canada a short time ago, he had spent most of his life in Colorado, U. S. A.

"I can now understand why Tanlac enjoys such wide popularity both in Canada and the United States," continued Mr. Roberts, "and since it has done me so much good, I know that it is a very dependable medicine and deserves all the praise that is being given it. For the past two years I have suffered from stomach trouble, and when I commenced taking this Tanlac, it was almost impossible for me to retain anything I ate. I was very nervous and never got a good night's sleep, and finally got so weak and rundown that I was hardly able to get about. I often had dizzy spells, and was bothered a great deal with constipation.

"My physician certainly knew what he was doing when he prescribed Tanlac for me, for it has done the work for me, as I am as healthy and strong now as I ever was in my life. In fact it has done much more for me than I expected it would do. I have a fine appetite and everything I eat agrees with me perfectly, and I never have the slightest sign of stomach trouble of any kind. I am no longer bothered with constipation, and never have those dizzy spells any more, I have regained all my strength too, and that nervousness has left me, and I sleep like a log every night. In fact, I am simply enjoying perfect health again, and I give Tanlac credit for it all."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.

Quihi News.

Mrs. Mary Gaubatz and daughter, Miss Ella, and son, Ervin, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Storie, Mrs. Francis Fous of San Antonio visited kinfolks at Sturm Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Britsch of Bandera visited Charlie Oefinger and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Balzen and baby, Myrlin Chester, Misses Della, Melinda and Bertha Oefinger were shopping in Hondo Saturday.

Misses Laura Schuehle and Louisa Meyer are spending several days in Pearsall.

Miss Frieda Balzen and Mrs. Arnold Balzen were shopping here Friday.

John Frerichs and daughters, Misses Bettie and Annie, and son, Willie, of Hondo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Oefinger.

M. T. Schuchart and George Boehme, Misses Frieda Balzen and Ella Fuos attended a dance at the Medina Lake Sunday.

Louis Britsch and wife of Vandenberg were the guests of H. B. Balzen and wife Saturday.

Quite a number from here attended the picnic at Lacoste Sunday.

Miss Hulda Balzen left for San Antonio after spending several days with homefolks, Herman Balzen, and family.

Riomedina News.

Chas. J. Ahr and sisters, Misses Mary and Louisa, and Edwin R. Wurzbach and sisters, Misses Katy and Clair, attended the dance at Lacoste Sunday.

Miss Ella Gaubatz of San Antonio is spending the week with Louis Wurzbach and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Seekatz and Miss Elizabeth Seekatz attended the dance at the Medina Lake Sunday.

Ferd. Wurzbach, Otto Wurzbach and son, Julius, and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wurzbach of Cliff, Louis Wurzbach and sons, Alfred and Charley, Chas. T. Wurzbach and daughters, Misses Katy and Clair, and son attended the memorial service of the late Amos Rothe at Hondo Sunday.

Herman Bippert and family were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Steinele and daughter, Miss Cecilia, of Castroville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Steinele and children of Dunlay, Mr. and Mrs. Otto W. Huegele and children spent Monday with Chas. T. Wurzbach and family.

Joe Huegele Jr. was at San Antonio Saturday.

Herman Wurzbach and son, Joe, were at Castroville one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto W. Huegele and children were Alamo City visitors the latter part of the week.

Alex L. Haby and family were at Castroville one day last week.

Elmer Huegele of San Antonio spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto W. Huegele.

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The World Cotton Conference at New Orleans in October.

Names of Local Delegates who Should be Encouraged to Attend

Among the 530 delegates appointed by State Agricultural Commissioner, Fred W. Davis, we give below those from this section.

This great conference appears to be the culmination of a movement started some two years ago by Commissioner Davis looking to a producer's as against a speculator's cotton market in the South.

The movement has spread to all the Southern states and has assumed such proportions as to attract world-wide attention. The results of the great New Orleans Conference may have vital bearing upon the future of the Southern cotton trade, especially as to its markets phases, and we hope it may receive such consideration at the hands of our people as its importance appears to justify.

Commissioner Davis is much gratified at the responses coming from delegates from all portions of the State, indicating marked appreciation by them of the importance of a great representation at the Conference of Southern farmers and their friends.

Following is a list of delegates from Devine: C. M. Thompson, J. J. Wipff, Henry Crutcheff, Eugene L. Bohl. Alternates are: J. W. Fullerton, J. C. Thompson, W. B. Slater, M. A. Keller.

LaCoste Ledger Laconics.

Herman and Louisa Vogel of D'Hanis spent several days here and at Castroville.

Miss Fannie Lieber of Uvalde arrived here Friday evening, and stayed for the 25th of August Celebrations at Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Loucke left for their home in El Paso Saturday after a few days stay with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Droitecourt and family.

Ed. Biry of Spintletop left here on the West Bound the latter part of last week to again try to get into Mexico. We have not yet learned whether he succeeded or not.

Mrs. J. L. Zuercher was taken to the P. & S. Hospital in San Antonio Monday morning and was immediately operated on for appendicitis. At last report she is getting along fine.

Mrs. Hilda Franger of the Sauz returned home Sunday night after a lengthy stay with relatives in San Antonio. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. A. G. Oefinger, who will visit here for several days.

Martin M. Mechler spent Sunday in San Antonio. He was accompanied home in the evening by his wife and Mrs. Theresa Mangold. We are glad to learn that Mrs. Mechler is so speedily recovering from her operation.

Hornby District Supervisor of Census.

Hon. H. P. Hornby has received the appointment of supervisor of census enumeration for the Fifteenth Congressional District, which includes the counties of Atascosa, Brooks, Cameron, Dimmit, Duval, Frio, Hidalgo, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, Kinney, Kleberg, LaSalle, Live Oak, McMullen, Maverick, Medina, Starr, Uvalde, Webb, Willacy, Zapata, and Zavala, and includes a population of about 156,014 people.

Mr. Hornby says that the appointment of the enumerators to take the census commencing January 1, 1920, will not be made until the latter part of the year.—Uvalde Leader News.

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The comptroller's department in Austin estimates the assessed value of Texas property for 1920 at \$3,191,000,000, an increase of about \$83,000,000 over the tax rolls of the previous year.

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Arrangements have been made with J. W. L. Hanley to do a real estate business at D'Hanis. See him at the depot at that place and talk over your real estate wants with him. Fletcher Davis.

Let cheerfulness on happy fortunes wait.—Dryden.

Nature designed us to be of good cheer.—Douglas Jerrold.

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Be thou of good cheer.—Bible.

Exhaustion of Soil by Cultivation.

Plants derive from the atmosphere and from water but a small number of materials required for their development.

From these sources they only obtain carbon, hydrogen, oxygen and a very small amount of nitrogen.

All material substances and the greater part of the nitrogen, required in the production of several organic compounds for the growth of plants, must be supplied by the soil.

Since all plants contain a certain amount of material derived from the soil, it follows that this soil must in all cases sustain a corresponding loss. Hence, from every cultivated crop the soil sustains a loss proportionate to the abundance and richness of the produce, and when the products of the crop are sold and nothing returned, no matter how fertile the land may be, it will sooner or later show symptoms of exhaustion.

Even should the crops, or parts of them, be consumed and the residue not applied to the soil, then the loss of fertility is inevitable.

Grain crops are more exhausting than other crops, as they remove from the soil during their growth large quantities of nitrogen, phosphoric acid, sulphuric acid and many other valuable mineral constituents.

All crops, especially deep rooted crops, always have a certain amount of organic matter coming from decaying roots, therefore the loss of nitrogen and other mineral constituents is not so great as when everything is taken from the soil.

The loss of material incurred by the soil in the growth of crops, is felt chiefly in the organic substances, or the mineral food of plants.

The atmosphere food plants, with the exception of ammonia exerts no influence upon the exhaustion of the soil, because the amount of carbonic acid and other ingredients in the atmosphere are inexhaustible.

The mineral constituents of plants, as phosphoric acid, sulphuric acid and potash, are supplied solely by the soil, and it is chiefly by the loss of these constituents that the fertility of the soil is impaired by cultivation.

It is sometimes thought that the mineral constituents are the only materials to be supplied to plants, and that plants can obtain for themselves from the atmosphere the requisite amount of ammonia to furnish all the nitrogen required in the development of flesh forming principles. But it is pretty certain that the chief part of nitrogen present in cultivated plants or crops comes from the soil and not from the atmosphere.

Nitrogen as well as mineral or inorganic substances contained in a crop have been supplied by the soil.

Another matter connected with the exhaustion of the soil by culture, is the well known fact that the soil may become depleted in reference to one crop and yet be fertile to another.

The cause of the inability of the soil to produce many successive crops of the same kind is explained by the simple fact, that a soil which has suffered from a drain upon one or two of its constituents for the development of a certain crop, will be unable to furnish the additional quality of same materials requisite for the healthy growth of the second crop of same kind. Still, its stock of other substances being undiminished it is fully capable of responding to the demands of some other crop that may require different set of materials.

Besides the character of material a crop extracts from the soil, its place in a series of crops is regulated by the capabilities and habits of the plant composing it.

It is well known that different kinds of plants are very unlike in their ability of providing for themselves in seeking for their food contained in the soil. Thus some plants are helpless and languish for want of food unless it is placed within easy reach.

Others again are industrious, and if food is at all to be had, they will search for it and find it, and for this purpose they send their roots down in the soil and in all directions for the materials required for their development.

In this class of plants are all clovers including alfalfa and all natural grasses.

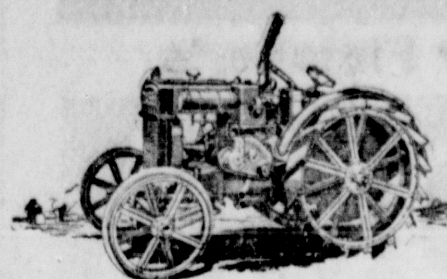
The other class of plants are those by reason of their rapid growth and unfitted for searching for their own food; therefore all plant food taken must be placed so that it can be reached easily and especially during the early period of their growth.

NATURAL RENOVATION OF THE SOIL.

It is well known that a soil wholly or partly exhausted will, if left to itself, in course of a few years recover its fertility.

There are several bodies existing in the soil which possess the power of absorbing and fixing ammonia of the air.

The ammonia collected in this manner, though very small in quantity, must be considered in the natural restoration of the soil. By the spontaneous growth of herbage the surface soil becomes enriched by the accumulation of organic matter derived from water and the atmosphere.



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Also by the same means, mineral substances existing in the lower regions of the soil, will be brought to the surface and distributed through this organic matter.

Even during the ordinary systems of cultivation, the amount of organic matter in the soil may increase, because many plants produce even a larger amount of organic material, in the shape of roots, under the surface than they do above it.

On the decay of organic matter all the mineral substances these decayed roots contain, are separated and distributed through a porous moss so that the roots of living plants can easily penetrate a feed upon them.

The mineral constituents of the soil, in a soluble and available form, constitute its mineral fertilizing materials.

By the unceasing action of the weather all insoluble and useless compounds are slowly converted into combinations that are conveyed to the plants through the medium of water. To this cause is chiefly ascribed the restoration of land when left to itself.

In many soils the quantity of fertilizing materials is very great and by deep plowing (6 inches and over) exposure to frost, harrowing and cultivating; nature is assisted in setting free and rendering available these hidden treasures that are found in the deeper portion of the soil and which are inexhaustible and will last for generations to come.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Reilly left Sunday for Brackettville where Mr. Reilly has a position in the bank. Mr. Allie Rogers, a former resident of Sabinal, is Cashier of the bank.

Mrs. Harold Baldwin and Beth returned Saturday from a visit in Hondo. Miss Evelyn Griffiths came home with them on a visit and returned to Hondo Tuesday evening.

Mrs. L. H. Lockhart of Del Rio, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Jane Riely, in San Antonio, came out yesterday and will visit her parents here a few days before returning to Del Rio.

Mrs. Fred Reinhart came over from D'Hanis yesterday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reinhart.

Joseph Vollmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Val Vollmer, has been quite sick for the past week. He has two nurses. We hope he will be better soon.

The peace conference in Paris gave Shantung to Japan. Japan took it away from Germany. Germany had it annexed from China. Our Senate Committee in Washington lately gave Shantung to China. Why not let the people decide?

President Wilson will make a tour over the United States during this month. He will speak in 30 large cities in the interest of the peace treaty and league of nations.

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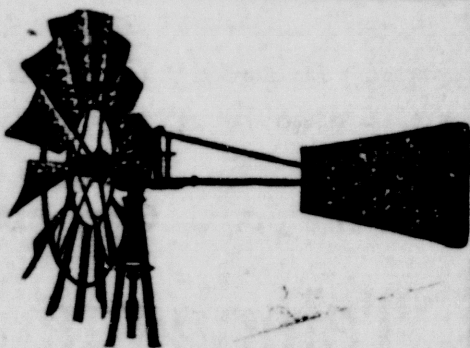
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Limit Baby Loans Money to Uncle Sam



Emil Vaughan Szaifir

While this tiny lad is ringing the bell he holds in his hand, Uncle Sam is working for him. The lad, only 18 months of age, is Emil Vaughan Szaifir of Beaumont. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Szaifir and the grandson of Mrs. Eva Vaughan.

Shortly after Emil was born, \$1,000 worth of 1918 War Savings Stamps were bought for him and his parents and grandmother have now added \$1,000 worth of the 1919 issue of War Savings Stamps to them, so the belling baby belongs to the Treasury Department's W. S. S. \$1,000 Savings Club for both years.

War Savings Stamps and the new \$100 and \$1,000 Registered Treasury Savings Certificates are ideal gifts for every one and especially for children of tender years. The baby does not understand that he is being given a present, no matter what it is—his little mind cannot grasp it. But when he becomes older and is told that Father and Mother, Grandmother or Uncle John gave him a Registered Treasury Savings Certificate or \$1,000 worth of War Savings Stamps or smaller amounts in the same securities, he will appreciate the gift far more than if it had been some toy which he had already destroyed.

The new \$100 and \$1,000 Registered Treasury Savings Certificates may be purchased for the baby and registered in his name and will thus be a reminder to him in years to come that, although young, he helped finance the Government when it was in need of help. Stake your children for the future! An investment in Registered Treasury Savings Certificates or War Savings Stamps means a college education or a start in business. Buy Registered Treasury Savings Certificates or War Savings Stamps. —W. S. S.—

Sipe Springs Oil Money Is Going into Safe Investments.

Bringing in of new oil wells at Sipe Springs, Texas, naturally brought large amounts of money to many of its inhabitants and a goodly portion of this has already been invested in Registered Treasury Savings Certificates.

ates, which have just been put on sale by the U. S. Treasury Department. The State Bank of Sipe Springs and three individuals each bought a \$1,000 Certificate on the same day. On the first of August, enough \$100 and \$1,000 Registered Treasury Certificates were held in Sipe Springs to represent \$6 invested by every man, woman and child in the town and the surrounding township. This money is now safe, is earning interest for its owners and can be turned into cash with the interest, if desired. The new Registered Treasury Savings Certificates can be gotten from banks and first and second class postoffices, so can Government War Savings Stamps.

SURGEONS agree that in cases of Cuts, Burns, Bruises and Wounds, the FIRST TREATMENT is most important. When an EFFICIENT antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, BORONOL is the IDEAL ANTISEPTIC and HEALING AGENT. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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WORDS FROM HOME.

Statements That May Be Investigated.
Testimony of Hondo Citizens.

When a Hondo citizen comes to the front, telling his friends and neighbors of his experience, you can rely on his sincerity. The statements of people residing in far away places do not command your confidence. Home endorsement is the kind that backs Doan's Kidney Pills. Such testimony is convincing. Investigation proves it true. Below is a statement of a Hondo resident. No stronger proof of merit can be had.

B. H. Robinson, carpenter, says: "Several years ago I was troubled with my kidneys. I had to get up about three or four times at night to pass the kidney secretions which were scalding and highly colored. I had dizzy spells and black specks would appear before my eyes. My back ached and I had sharp pains in the region of my kidneys. A friend told me of Doan's Kidney Pills, so I got a box. That one box of Doan's regulated my kidneys and my back never aches now."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Robinson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

Ancient Battle Standards.

It is probable that the first flag was carried by the Saracens in their battles with the Crusaders, the latter adopting the idea, which thus spread over Europe. Long before that there had been national standards, however, as the ancient Egyptians carried before their hosts the figure of a sacred animal on a spear. A stuffed cat impaled on a stick was the forerunner of the banners now used. In the days of the old Persian empire a blacksmith's apron was carried aloft at the head of the army, while the standard of the Turks was a horse's tail.

Swellings of the flesh caused by inflammation, cold, fractures of the bone, toothache, neuralgia or rheumatism can be relieved by applying BAL-LARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It should be well rubbed in over the part affected. Its great healing and penetrating power eases the pain, reduces the swelling and restores natural conditions. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Introduced Lilac to Europe.

There are men who in a lesser sphere have been givers of gifts which are enjoyed by millions, though their own names may have slipped out of the memory of the world, says the Boston Transcript.

Such a man was Ogier Ghiselin de Busbecq. He was born in the pleasant town of Comines, in Flanders, now half French, half Belgian, with the River Lys between, almost four hundred years ago and educated in that university at Louvain which now, alas, is laid low. Busbecq was a collector, and when he was sent by the Emperor Ferdinand as ambassador to the Sultan Suleiman the Magnificent, on his return brought manuscript and coins and plants home to Vienna. And among these plants was the lilac.

In every home where there are children there should be a bottle of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. It destroys worms and acts as a tonic in the debilitated system. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

One's Too Many Sometimes.

"If we had two heads," remarked the man on the car, "we'd have more trouble getting them to track than we have with our feet."—Toledo Blade.

Optimistic Thought.

A common armchair is a more comfortable seat than a throne.

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Were All There.

"It wasn't fair to mark me down on that word in spelling," said Jane as she came in from school. "I had all its letters in but I didn't arrange them right."

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Possibility of Recovery of King John's
Lost Treasures Causes Some
Stir in England.

The idea of making use of the electric apparatus used in locating ores to discover King John's lost treasure has been put forward by Capt. Hugh Pollard in an English paper. He recalls the fact that, several years ago, Sir William Hope informed the Society of Antiquaries that the ford of the Wash where the treasure was lost in the thirteenth century was reclaimed in the seventeenth, and that the land lies between Walpole and Long Sutton in Lincolnshire. Now this treasure of King John's is of extraordinary interest. Not only did it contain loot from half the castles and churches of England and John's own jewels, but the crown of King Alfred as well. At the close of the seventeenth century King Alfred's jewel, now in the Ashmolean museum, was found some distance north of the site of Athelney abbey in Somersetshire. The gem is made of pure gold and contains colored stones covered by a thick crystal, through which is seen the miniature of a man clothed in a green Saxon tunic. It is formed of enameled mosaic on a blue ground. The man is seated on a throne with a crown on his head and holds a fleur-de-lis in each hand. Round the edge are the words in Anglo-Saxon: "Alfred had me worked." Some say the figure represents Alfred himself. If so, perhaps the crown which the gem depicts is the one which the elements wrenched from the unworthy hands of John all that long time ago, and the one which, it is to be hoped, the twentieth century will recover.

ELEPHANT MADE NO WHIMPER

Underwent Pain of Having Tooth
Drawn With Stoicism That Would
Shame Many Humans.

It does not require much imagination to realize that pulling an elephant's tooth is something of an engineering as well as a dental job.

An example of this was when Albert, one of the biggest elephants in the Ringling herd at Madison Square garden, New York, had refused to eat and the circus veterinary found a great tooth cavity which was beyond remedy by filling.

The tooth that was giving Albert so much discomfort was as large as a man's fist. After a liberal dose of cocaine had been injected, forceps as big as ice tongs were clamped to the tooth, a rope attached to the forceps, and a squad of trainers made ready to supply the pulling power.

At a given signal the trainers gave a tremendous pull, and out came the huge tooth.

In this sort of dental work the unknown quantity lies in what the elephant will do. Albert had been taken out of the menagerie to prevent panic among the rest of the herd in case he developed an inclination to object to the process. However, he underwent the ordeal calmly, and as soon as his jaw was dressed he was conducted back to his stall.

Put End to Moslem Piracy.

In the sixteenth century European civilization was menaced by the Turks. Moslem pirates were the peril of the seas, of which they were fast gaining control. This danger was averted and destroyed by Don Juan, commander of the Spanish fleet, and his allies, the Italian squadrons and the Venetian and Neapolitan fleets, at a naval battle with the Turks in the Bay of Lepanto. The capture of the enemy's flagship, after the battle had raged an hour and a half, gave Don Juan assurance of victory, so he hoisted the consecrated banner of the Holy league at the mast of the conquering galley, where it could be seen by both friend and enemy. The result was as Don Juan expected—exultation on the part of the Christians and depression and discouragement on the part of the Turks.

After a heavy loss on both sides the Turkish armada was destroyed.

Largest of Inland Seas.

The Caspian sea is the largest inland sea in the world. It has an area exceeding 170,000 square miles, and it is situated between Europe and Asia to the southeast of Russia. It lies in a deep depression, and, in a past age, geologists tell us, probably formed, with the Black and Aral seas, an inland sea of vast extent. Salmon and sturgeon are abundant and the seal fishery is important. The Rivers Ural and Volga flow into it. Astrabad, Baku and Astrakhan are its chief ports. Waterways, consisting of rivers and canals, connect it with the Black and Baltic seas. Of its area, 865 square miles belong to its islands. At the present time its surface lies 86 feet below the level of the ocean.

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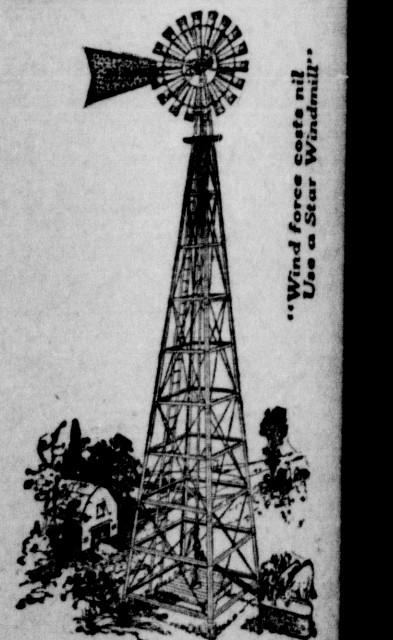
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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, SEPTEMBER 4, 1919

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday of each week.

dances given on the 25th and 26th respectively, at the Emory Opera House were largely enjoyed and very much enjoyed. The best of order prevailed.

Funeral Services were held at the Lutheran Church Sunday in honor of the soldier of this congregation.

and Mrs. Philip Brieden of Hondo were Castroville visitors Sunday.

A number of our young people attended a dance at La- Sunday night.

Mrs. A. E. Halberdier, Eugene, and Joe L. Tschirhart and Mrs. Mueller were Alamo City visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Alois Filleman and children of El Paso are visiting relatives and friends in our midst.

Mrs. Adam Droicourt and children had as their guests the St. Louis festivities, and Mrs. J. J. Droicourt and Mr. John Finger of Hondo, Mr. Louis Ahr and daughters, Misses Helen and Emma and the Misses Amanda and Emma Rodrickes of Hondo.

relatives here received news Sunday evening that Mrs. Biediger (nee Rihn) of Hondo was seriously ill.

Mrs. John Stricker and daughter, Miss Stella, and Master returned to San Antonio Thursday after a week's stay with Mrs. M. Fous.

Mrs. Hermann and Mrs. Wurzbach Thursday, Aug. 28th, and to Mr. and Mrs. Louis on Friday, Aug. 29th, a daughter.

Mrs. Emily Pingnot and daughter, Miss Edna, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert during the week.

Mrs. Jack Bendele and daughter, Miss Sybilla, and son, Ed, and Willie and Joe Schott and Miss Lucile Tschirhart were visitors during the week.

Mrs. Henry J. Schott and daughter of Devine spent the week here.

Mrs. and Mrs. Emil Kaufman and family of Red Wing spent several days here with August and family.

Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon spent several days in San Antonio.

Mrs. August J. Mangold, Mrs. Kilborn and Mrs. Nick Hutz were on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Frank Seekatz and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of Medina were here Sunday.

Miss Alvina Wurzbach of San Antonio spent the week with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. August Wurzbach.

Misses Ethel and Selma Zoller returned to their home in San Antonio after a two weeks' stay with Miss Fanny Bourquin and Mrs. Alice Geant.

The game warden was kept very busy Monday as the dove season opened.

Mr. and Mrs. Zinsmeyer and family of Dilley were guests of Mrs. Tschirhart and family Sunday.

L. Scherrer made a business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

Misses Katie, Clara and Edna Wurzbach and brother, Edwin, were shopping here Friday.

The bans of William Schott and Miss Sybilla Bendele were announced in the Catholic Church Sunday.

Mrs. George Karm and children left for Uvalde to attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Fanny Lieber and Albert Karm.

Mrs. Joe Droicourt and children of Lacoste were here Monday.

S. A. Jungman was here from Hondo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Tondre and children of San Antonio spent Sunday and Monday here with Frank Burrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wurzbach were here from Cliff Sunday.

Miss Lucile Tschirhart entertained with a shower Sunday afternoon in honor of Miss Sybilla Bendele, a bride of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex A. Haby and daughter, Miss Amanda, were here Sunday from Rio-medina.

Mrs. Anton Mandry and little son of San Antonio is spending the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steinle and children were here from Dunlay Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huesser returned to Hondo Thursday.

Mrs. J. A. Williamson left Thursday for San Antonio after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer.

Frank Tschirhart and family were here from Pearson sporting a new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bippert, Jr., of Sauz visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etter during the week.

We are sorry to report that Ed. Bohl was taken to the hospital again this week. He was accompanied by Mrs. Bohl and Mrs. Mollie Hans, Miss Lorine Pinn and Oscar Etter.

August Bilhartz and family returned to Pearsall Tuesday.

Mrs. C. B. Noonan returned to San Antonio after a month's stay here with her son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lytle of San Antonio visited here during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wernette were here from Rio-medina in their new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Haby and Mrs. Mary Wernette of Rio-medina were shopping here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Haycock of San Antonio visited L. Scherrer and family Wednesday.

Julius Wurzbach was here from Cliff Thursday.

Miss Annie Rihn returned to San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wurzbach of Cliff spent Sunday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wurzbach were here from Rio-medina Sunday.

Louis Scherrer has received a Registered Duroc Jersey male pig from C. C. Schott, Waco, Texas.

Jack Stein was here from Cliff Monday.

Miss Hulda Haby returned to San Antonio after a visit here.

Henry V. Haass Jr. was here from his ranch Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Haegelin were shopping here Friday.

The sisters School opened Tuesday morning with a large attendance.

Henry Weynand and family returned to D'Hanis after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rihn.

Best Treatment for a Burn.

If for no other reason, Chamberlain's Salve should be kept in every household on account of its great value in the treatment of burns. It allays the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a severe one, heals the parts without leaving a scar. This salve is also unequalled for chapped hands, sore nipples and diseases of the skin. Price, 25 cents.

Labor Day was observed last Monday in larger towns and cities all over the country by parading union labor men, and closing of business houses. As Labor Day is a legal holiday all post-offices were closed and the rural route service omitted, and the banks closed everywhere for the day.

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Good for Biliousness.

"I took two of Chamberlain's Tablets last night, and I feel fifty per cent better than I have for weeks," says J. J. Firestone, of Allegan, Mich. "They are certainly a fine article for biliousness."

A government retail store will be opened at a central location September 25th in San Antonio. The store will sell at reduced prices food supplies, shoes, underwear, blankets etc., direct to consumers.

General Pershing, commander of the American Expeditionary Forces, sailed from Brest, France, on the transport Leviathan for the United States Monday, September 1st.

Countless numbers of people have watched the approach of the Pacific fleet at San Francisco Monday, where Secretary of the Navy Daniels reviewed the war craft.

Helps Sick Women

Cardui, the woman's tonic, helped Mrs. William Eversole, of Hazel Patch, Ky. Read what she writes: "I had a general breaking-down of my health. I was in bed for weeks, unable to get up. I had such a weakness and dizziness, ... and the pains were very severe. A friend told me I had tried everything else, why not Cardui? ... I did, and soon saw it was helping me ... After 12 bottles, I am strong and well."

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All Druggists

Mexicans Fire at American Airplanes.

Tuesday morning near Laredo Mexicans fired upon two American aviation officers, Capt. McNabb and Lieutenant Johnson, of Kelly Field. They were sent to the border for patrol duty a few weeks ago. The officers were flying low up the Rio Grande, 16 miles from Laredo, when a bunch of Mexicans from the other side of the river came out from the brush and fired hundreds of shots at the plane. Capt. McNabb was struck near the ear. The flyers managed to land safely on American soil, where at a farm house the wounded officer was given medical aid. He later was taken to the hospital of Fort McIntosh. The wound is supposed to be not serious. Army officers wait for orders in this matter from Washington.

Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in Michigan.

Mrs. A. H. Hall, Caseville, Mich., says, "I wish to thank you for your grand good medicine, Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. We are never without it in the house, and I am sure it saved our baby's life this summer."—Mrs. Mary Carrington, Caseville, Mich., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy for years and it has always given prompt relief."

Devine News Items.

ADVISES DESTROYING STALKS EARLY. County Agent Ira Durrenburger of Frio County advises farmers to destroy cotton stalks as early as possible. He shows that the late holding of stalks last winter enabled the weevils to hibernate and is the cause of the destruction of the crop this year.

Gus Brieden has harvested ten acres sorghum, much of which has been made into molasses; he has plenty corn and garden sass put up, and is mending up. He says he may soon tackle Demsky or whatever his name is for the heavyweight championship.

We are glad to hear that both Mr. Fritz Bippert and his little daughter of near Moore, are convalescing with fever. We are sorry to hear that Albert Bippert of Lytle, who went to wait upon his brother, is stricken down with the fever and also his son at their home.

Despondency.

Sufferers from indigestion are apt to become discouraged and feel that complete recovery is not to be hoped for. No one could make a greater mistake. Hundreds have been permanently cured by taking Chamberlain's Tablets and can now eat anything that they crave. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. If you have not tried them do so at once.

It is slowly leaking out to the public that while men and women have been denying themselves of the necessities of life, government officials have wantonly burned, broken and otherwise destroyed millions of perfectly good stuff the poor would gladly have used. Acres of airplanes, trucks, and even unused building materials and slightly damaged foodstuffs have been burned. This helps to make bolshevists and anarchists, and will weigh like a millstone about the neck of the Wilson administration, though he may not be responsible, or even know of it.—Devine News.

Just What She Needed.

"I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets some time ago and they proved to be just what I needed," writes Mrs. Volta Bankson, Chillicothe, Mo. "They not only relieved me of indigestion but toned up my liver and rid me of back-ache and dizziness that I had been subject to for some time. They did me a world of good and I will always speak a good word for them."

To avoid accidents as experienced by aviators in border patrol duty an order has been issued that all such airplanes in future shall travel in pairs, that is two airplanes will go out on trips now.

King Victor Emmanuel lately pardoned 40,000 Italian soldiers who were sentenced to long periods of imprisonment during the war.

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THEODORE ROOSEVELT says: "I am so deeply touched and pleased by your editorial in 'Success' that I must write and tell you so."

CHARLES M. SCHWAB says: "Dr. Marden's writings have had much to do with my success."

JOHN WANAMAKER says: "I would, if it had been necessary, have been willing to have gone without at least one meal a day to buy one of the Marden books."

LORD NORTHCLIFFE says: "I believe Dr. Marden's writings will be of immense assistance to all young men."

JUDGE BEN B. LINDSEY says: "Dr. Marden is one of the wonders of our time. I personally feel under a debt of obligation to him for his marvelous inspiration and help."

When such men as these, and a host of others too numerous to mention, have felt so strongly the debt of gratitude they owe this man that they have not hesitated to acknowledge it in writing, surely you also can be helped to develop your latent powers, to fill a larger place in the world, to make a new success of your life.

There is nothing mysterious or difficult about Dr. Marden's teachings. They are clear, direct, personal. You

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Let not the old home love forsake
Them in that piteous hour of sorest need
As in a hostile world they roam
Instead, this gentle resolution heed:
Love still shall wait for them at home.

The wrong things they may do you'll not condone;
Still is no need to stand aghast
Or speak to them in harsh and chiding tone—
God knows they know, and it is past.
One time you kissed the baby bursts of them
As they sobbed to you, in the gloom.
There'll be no lack of those who will condemn—
So let love wait for them at home!
—Strickland Gillilan, In Farm Life.

REALLY NO NEED TO WORRY

But Then, You Know, Some Mothers
Get So Worried Over the
Merest Trifles.

Uncle Ben was a bachelor, but was full of enthusiasm for his married friends, and when his brother-in-law invited him to come and spend a few days and see his son and hear he gladly accepted. It was an education to watch the old gentleman's efforts to amuse the six-months-old child. Just for fun he would snatch its bottle away at feeding time and wonder why the youngster yelled.

Then he would tickle it almost into convulsions. Finally he gave it his watch to play with. Then peace reigned. And thus the mother found baby and bachelor.

"Good gracious!" she exclaimed excitedly. "Look! Baby's got the watch in his mouth. He'll swallow it. Take it out or he'll choke!"

"Don't be alarmed," replied Uncle Ben, smiling placidly; "I've got hold of the chain. It can't go far!"

MASCOTS THAT WERE USEFUL

British Regiment Adopted Two Cows,
Which Accompanied Them Through-
out the Entire Campaign.

During their march through London a short time ago the Second Scots Guards were accompanied by two cows and many wondered why they were in the procession.

They were originally acquired by the regiment in 1915, when it was in Belgium, and remained with the battalion through the whole war.

They were the means of supplying fresh milk to the officers and sergeants, and a special man was told off to act as cow keeper. It is said that one day their keeper, being behind the battalion and somewhat merry, disposed of the animals to a farmer in exchange for a trifling sum.

When their loss was discovered there was a great uproar, and the keeper was punished by being sent back some thirty miles to repurchase the cows and bring them back to the battalion again.

It was found that the cows became very tame when they were on the march, and one member of the battalion—a blacksmith—determined to shoe them. He succeeded in doing this, but it was a lengthy operation, occupying nearly ten hours.

When he had finished the animals were well shod, with iron plates covering the whole foot.

These cows were perhaps the largest mascots possessed by any British regiment.—London Answers.

Not Fully Equipped.

The major had been back from France just two weeks. His figure had changed so that he had to lay in a complete new regalia of "elvises." Then, in all his sartorial glory, he called on her. Father and mother were there to hear all about how he won the war, and he was just in the mood to tell them.

Leaning back importantly in the big Morris chair, the center of an admiring little group, he started in. His fiancée blushed and her mother giggled. Father smiled broadly. The major felt ill at ease. Something was wrong.

Then he followed father's gaze. To his utter amazement, the major discovered that his socks had rolled down over his shoe tops. Not having had any use for them for nearly two years he had forgotten to get any garters.

Old Safe Gives Up Treasure.

For years at Lufkin, Tex., a rusty old safe has decorated one of the side streets, a seat for loafers and a hitching place for horses. The combination lost years ago finally rusted off and the other day some of the town kids pried the safe open, finding 12 \$5 gold pieces, 40 silver dollars, and a block of stock in one of the town's leading corporations. The boys gave up the stock, but kept the cash. Somebody some day must have known there was money in that safe. Why didn't they get it out?—Exchange.

Wasted Sympathy.

"You know last night they got into the grocery's, broke open his safe and took \$3,000."
"He should worry! He'll get that back in a few days."—New York World.

All Gail.

"What has become of the Hon. Flushdub, who did everything he could last session to handicap the army?"
"He's out after the soldier vote."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

PLANE FOR BUDDING AVIATOR

Well Called the Penguin, Since It
Moves Fast on Ground, but Is
Unable to Fly.

Do you know what a penguin is? You may have read of it, but probably never have seen one. The penguin is an aquatic bird found in the polar regions. It is remarkable for its peculiar structure. It has only stumps in place of wings and, for that reason, is unable to fly. But it is a good walker and an expert swimmer and diver. The name of "penguin" has also been given to the training apparatus employed to teach prospective aviators the control of the airplane or seaplane. The name is well chosen. The penguin used for training is as unable to fly as its arctic namesake. It consists of an airplane with wings so very small that the power of the motor is unable to lift the airplane off the ground or water. It is supplied with ailerons, elevator, rudder and wheels exceptionally strong for running on the ground. The apprentice is encouraged to run this "penguin" to his heart's content; there is no danger that it will take to the air. In a short time he graduates to a real airplane that can and does fly, and then he can give all his attention to the flying part without having to worry over the handling of the various controls. The sense of safety he enjoys while learning is a great nerve sedative to the inexperienced aviator.

REMEDIES CALL FOR FAITH

Truly Weird and Wonderful Are Some
"Cures" for Various Ills of
the Human Body.

Weird and wonderful are the remedies advised in different parts of the world for diseases which affect humanity.

Sufferers from rheumatism may be pleased to hear that there are people who claim to have found a sure cure for their malady by binding split hickory around the affected part.

The town of Lee, in England, still has on record the famous cure known as the "Lee Penny." This coin was brought from the Holy Land by a Crusader. On many occasions when the health of the people has been threatened this penny has been used. "Three dips and one swirl" in a bucket of water were supposed to endow the liquid with healing properties.

In many parts of Europe it is thought that passing under an ass a child suffering from whooping cough will bring instant relief.

Almost every one has heard of the curing of warts by touching them with a wedding ring. This "cure" is perhaps not so well known: Make the sign of the cross on a wart, at the same time chanting: "What I see, that I wish; what I wish, that disappears."

Uncrowned English Queens.

There have been several uncrowned queens of England. The first was Margaret of France, the second wife of Edward I. Money was scarce in the government coffers at the time, and Edward could not afford the expense of a coronation. The four later wives of Henry VIII, Anne Boleyn's successors—Jane Seymour, Anne of Cleves, Catherine Howard and Catherine Parr—were never publicly crowned as queen consorts. Henrietta Marie, the wife of Charles I, being a strict Catholic, refused to take part in a state function which would compel her to partake of the sacrament according to the rites of the Church of England. Sophia Dorothea, the wife of George I, and mother of George II, was never recognized as queen of England and therefore can not be classed as one of Britain's uncrowned queens. Caroline of Brunswick, the wife of George IV, was not permitted to be present in Westminster hall at his coronation.

Original "Lone Tree."

There was an immense cottonwood, four feet thick and very tall, which stood in Nebraska almost in the center of the continent, half way between New York and San Francisco, which was within one mile of that center. Under its branches rested thousands of '49-ers en route to the Eldorado of the Pacific coast. It was the best-known camping ground on the old California trail. From 1849, when the gold seekers rushed across the great plains down to the completion of the Union Pacific railway, the great tree was a guidepost to the wagon trains going west.

After the railway was completed there was no further use for the old tree and it eventually rotted away and died. In 1910 a monument was erected on the spot that the tree had occupied. It represents the trunk of a giant cottonwood and bears this inscription: "On this spot stood the original Lone Tree on the old California trail."

Australian Water Holes.

A curious form of water hole is found in the deserts of western Australia, dry by day but yielding an abundant supply of water by night. The flow of water is preceded by weird hissing and sounds of rushing air. On examining one it was found that the water supply occurred in a long narrow trench, at the bottom of which was a thin plate of gneiss, separated by a cavity from the main rock mass beneath. Apparently the heat of the day causes this plate to expand in the form of a depression, in which the water retreats. When it cools and contracts at night it forces first air and then water back into the

The Scrap Book

ADVANTAGE ALL WITH DAVID

Modern Military Men Have Figured
That Goliath Never Had a
Chance to Win.

Popular sympathy has always been on the side of David in his little bickering with the Giant Goliath. It ought to be quite the other way, because there never was a minute when Goliath had a chance against an agile antagonist who could choose his own position and distance, and who was equipped with a long-range weapon.

This is a problem which has been thoroughly worked out by modern military men and naval tacticians. A fight of the kind can have only one result.

We are accustomed to think of the sling as an old-world weapon, but there is no question of the fact that it was in common use among the natives of Mexico, Central America and Peru long before Goliath and David were born.

Dr. Philip A. Means has been looking up the subject for the Smithsonian Institution, and he says that the early Spanish conquerors in America found the sling a formidable weapon in the hands of the aborigines.

A Spanish historian, Del Castillo, describing a battle with Mexican natives, writes: "As we approached with our army they shot from above so many stones that they covered the ground. They had slings and plenty of stones, and they shot arrows and stones so fast that they wounded five of our foot soldiers and two horsemen."

In Peru have been dug up many ancient vessels that bear paintings illustrative of combats in which slings were used.

Xeres, another Spanish historian, describing the capture of a Peruvian city, says of the native troops: "In the van of their army came the slingers, who



Ancient Peruvian Painting Showing
Use of Sling in Battle.

hurled pebbles from slings. These slingers carry shields made from narrow boards, very small. They also wear armor jackets made of quilted cotton."

Many of the actual slings used by early and even prehistoric Americans have been obtained from graves or otherwise recovered. They are made of various materials, including human hair, wool, llama hair and vegetable fiber.

Men Say Women Are Curious.

Men say women are "curious"—that to get a woman's curiosity aroused is a sure way to start something. Yet, says a bulletin that has been issued by the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, thousands of men sent money recently to a Texas man who advertised some literature "for men only." Men wrote from everywhere. They fairly swamped the advertiser with mail.

And what did they get? They got stung, just as they so richly deserved. They got a bunch of pictures of men riding wild western horses—innocent pictures, such as a man, woman or child would enjoy.

It might seem poetic justice to allow a man who would answer such an advertiser to continue to get the stinger, but the post office department, as soon as the matter came to its attention, issued an order against such an use of the mails.

Wild Race Is Promised.

The Nomad learns that one of the features of the coming out of the New England Amateur association, to be held at Salem Willows, will be a toad race. F. H. Sidney's two homing toads will be carried from Wakefield to the Willows by auto and liberated there. The two toads are "Teddy," the homing toad that hopped from Charles town to Wakefield in a single night, and "Pete," who has just returned from France, where he spent 21 months as a mascot of the Fourteenth engineers. Someone will be on hand to time the winner when he reaches the Sidney home at Valley View, Wakefield, on top of the hill in Wakefield park.—Boston Transcript.

The Reform of a Poet.

Harry Kemp, "tramp poet," who left Kansas university ten years ago to figure in many escapades in the East and finally to become a successful poet and playwright in New York, has advertised in a Lawrence paper a request asking his creditors of earlier days to get together their old bills that they may take them to a dinner he will give there shortly. After the dinner he promises to pay all his old debts. As the old hymn has it: "While the lights hold out to burn sinful poets may return."—Detroit Free Press.

His Occupation.

"They put the returned soldier at the clockmaker's to putting figures on the dials."
"Then he must have felt at home marking time."

Silverite a New Metal.

A new development in the alloying of aluminum with other metals has just been accomplished by the production of "silverite." This metal is something entirely new and is composed of a mixture of aluminum and copper, zinc and steel in varying proportions, according to requirements. The alloying of steel with aluminum is somewhat startling and at first thought seems to be impossible, yet it is successful.

Ports on Chilean Coast Line.

Chile has a long coast line which extends from about 18 degrees to 56 degrees south latitude. The so-called continental section of Chile extends from approximately the eighteenth to the forty-second parallel, while the insular or archipelago section extends from the forty-second to the fifty-sixth parallel. In this long stretch of coast there are numerous ports.

Excels the Nightingale.

The hermit thrush is declared to be the most talented and brilliant singer in the world, not even excepting the nightingale, says the American Forestry association. The tail of this little bird is of a reddish brown, much brighter than the back and head, while the breast is quite heavily spotted with black. It winters in the Gulf states.

The Sea.

Shakespeare tells us there is a tide in the affairs of men. Certainly there is a tide in the minds of men. He must be very unobservant of himself who does not know that the mind rises and falls, that it swells into fullness and strength and then fades into emotions and weakness. We know not how, we know not why.—Theophilus Parsons.

Little Helen's Idea.

Helen had a good imagination. One day, when playing blind man's buff, she was seen crawling on all fours. The "blind man" stumbled over her and when she uncovered her eyes and asked why Helen was down on her knees, Helen replied: "I thought you would think it was a dog."

Passenger Train Schedules at Hondo, Texas.

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No. 228 (Jitney) due	4:40 a.m.
No. 102 due	9:10 a.m.
(No stop between Hondo and San Antonio.)	
No. 10 due	6:43 p.m.
WEST BOUND	
No. 227 (Jitney) due	1:10 a.m.
No. 101 due	2:56 p.m.
(Stops at Hondo, Sabinal, Uvalde, Spofford and Del Rio.)	
No. 9 due	9:42 p.m.
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